

(f) *Vide* reply to clause (b).

### FALL OF PRICE OF COCONUT AND COPRA

782. Sri B. BYRAPPAJI (Turuvekere).—

Will the Minister for Agriculture and Forests be pleased to state:—

(a) whether it has come to the notice of the Government that at Chief Marketing Centres of Coconut and Copra like Tiptur and Arasikere there has been steep fall of sale price of the said commodities and thereby the ryots are affected;

(b) if so, the reasons for the fall of prices of coconut and copra;

(c) the steps taken to set right the same?

Sri K. H. PATIL (Minister for Agriculture and Forests).—

(a) No.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

### SUPPLY OF YARN TO DEPOTS OPENED IN SCARCITY AREAS

913. Sri R. S. PATIL (Ramdurg).—

Will the Minister for Industries be pleased to state:—

(a) the details of yarn of respective counts supplied to each of the depots opened in scarcity areas;

(b) whether the relief Centres for the weaver in scarcity areas have started functioning;

(c) the details of the decision taken by the Central Government, if any, in regard to the yarn supply?

Sri S. M. KRISHNA (Minister for Industries).—

(a) A Statement indicating the details of yarn supplied (countwise) to depots opened in scarcity areas is appended.